

David Drew, of Plough, Mass., has raised some wheat grown from seeds as old as the Exodus. Last year he received a sack of wheat from Egypt, some grains of which were taken from the ruins of the tower near the ruins of Memphis, belonging to the period of the third dynasty of 3000 years ago. He planted the seed early in the spring and carefully nursed it. It grew rapidly, and at the time of cutting he sowed from six and a half to seven bushels per acre. The wheat was of the same stalk like common wheat. The product of the plant is the most singular part of it, for, instead of growing in an ear like modern corn, there is a heavy cluster of small twigs in place of the spike, which hangs downward from the stem, and each twig is thickly studded with small grains of wheat, like a separate husk. From which it is threshed a larger crop will be grown next year.

pack. When the wrappings had been removed there was exposed to view a small, dark grivish something, scarcely more than an inch long and less than a width of a finger.

"The madstone! The madstone!" burst from many lips. "Now may heaven be thanked."

"Be silent," sternly commanded the stranger, "and control yourselves, whatever comes."

"And my child, my darling child, will live!" exclaimed the almost exhausted mother.

"Yes," said he in the hands of the Great Physician," was answered, reverently. "His mysterious ways now, as in the old time, He can heal and raise the dead, if such be His holy will."

The form of the pale, feeble-looking man with powerful eyes and curling lips, and the young naturalist with alborning interest, as the stone was applied to the bite of the serpent. Neither had ever before seen a madstone.

"It contains about one-fifth of its weight of arsenic, and varies from 50 to 75 cents per carat. Some physicians claim that a raw Spanish onion eaten every morning for a month will check if not permanently cure almost any kind of trouble. They also advise the use of the onion in cases of worms in children, and no physician can deny that they are most appetizing in a salad. It is a pity they are not so raised in this country. American hot-house gardeners have been so fond of the onion, that they have nearly exterminated the most insignificant variety of onion. Yet the very seeds of the degenerated onion planted in its native country will produce an onion equal to the original."

"If you start on a journey," says an old book of wisdom, "and meet a cat, you should at once turn back." The book does not say for what purpose you should turn back, but we suppose it is to get your gun. —*Burlington Free Press.*

"Mr. Brief," said the judge, grimly, "it seems to me that you are wasting time; you might as well try to make the court believe that two and two do not make four."

Brief settled his eyeglasses a little more firmly on his nose and responded: "I am prepared to take your honor I am prepared to take that. Two and two make 22."

The shadow of a smile played around the corner of the judge's mouth as he looked at him in chair and said: "You may go on with your argument, Mr. Brief."—*Boston Bulletin.*

A Bad Habit.

"Now, hubby, before we were married we promised to tell each other of our little faults and try to correct them—do you remember, dear?"

"m-huh," grunted the husband, who was deep in reading the last scandal.

"Well, now it's my turn to confess one of my bad habits," she said, looking up at him from under her lashes. "The habit is that I have a tendency to get butterflies when on the wing is now well known, and one of the earliest of recorded phenomena of this kind occurred in 1553, for Siebold relates that it was multitude of butterflies swarmed through a great part of Germany, and sprinkled plants, leaves, buildings, clothes, and men with blood drops, as if it had rained blood. Another similar shower is described by Beaumont in the beginning of A.D. 609, in the suburbs of Aix, when all the country about was covered with what appeared to be blood. Similar showers are likely to occur whenever butterflies emerge in great numbers at a time from their pupae state, for the reddish fluid is usually discharged soon after they take to their wings in flight." —*New York Sun.*

It is announced that Mrs. Cleveland is getting tired of answering notes from a female who claims the ladies after her.

very convenient to have ready for making composites. —*Courier-Journal.*

To Save Firemen From Asphyxiation.

An English inventor has perfected an apparatus which will be of great value to firemen. It is a respirator with India-rubber mouth-piece, and is designed to enable the wearer to breathe and work in smother in dense smoke and poisonous gases. The device is fastened securely to the head and the head and a flange lying between the teeth and lips, while a small protruding piece may be grasped by the teeth. The air inhaled is drawn through a series of small filter tubes, which are sponges, cotton, and are dampened with and animal charcoal. The filter tubes are provided with valves so that the breath expired from the lungs is prevented by the valves from passing directly to the external atmosphere. The spectacles, with india-rubber rims sit tight to the cheek and brow, protect the eyes.

Radishes.

Radishes were known in England in the days before this century, or in certain portions of the continent, where they were called "radic" and "radic." It is generally believed that we are indebted to the Chinese for the radish, and it is said that before the Christian era, the vegetable had had the honor of having a book written upon it. The Chinese call the radishes that were cultivated in Rome, one of the kinds being so transparent that a person could see through the roots!

THE ELECTION.

The election passed off quietly in this place.

In Winston the throng of colored voters was unprecedented, and the registration fuller than any one thought it could be. The vote was continuous all day and at the time of closing there were a considerable number who had not voted.

At one time, through the aggressive conduct of several colored men, a serious affray was imminent. The firmness of the police and citizens, however, prevented a general outbreak, and matters were soon quieted. The election of 1888 will long be remembered as one of the hardest fought campaigns ever witnessed here. The colored vote was unusually heavy and reports of fraud are openly spoken of. It is certainly a remarkable increase of the colored vote to say the least of it. The result in this county is consequently in favor of all the Republican candidates.

Sheriff Boyer is beaten by Mr. Teague by 24 votes.

Register Mast loses his office by 50 votes. Mr. Stanton being the successful candidate.

Mr. Reynolds is elected over Mr. Houser by more than 100 votes. Treasurer Cox is beaten by Mr. Linville by a considerable majority. Mr. Lineback beats Mr. Mitchell for the Senate by about 175 votes. Stokes county, however, is reported as giving Mitchell a large majority, enough to overcome the Republican majority in this county, and electing Mitchell, Democrat, as Senator. Two years ago Forsyth had a Democrat, Mr. Fries, in the House, and a Republican Senator from Stokes and Forsyth.

Congressman Brower has several hundred majority in this county. Morehead is reported elected to Congress in this district by a small majority. It will take an official count to determine it.

Duckery and the whole Republican State ticket carry the county by considerable majorities.

We will publish a correct table next week.

In the State the Democratic National and State tickets have large majorities, estimated at from 15,000 to 20,000. The Legislature is Democratic in both houses.

The New York Times telegraphs to the Richmond Dispatch at one o'clock this morning, that Harrison had carried the doubtful States and is elected. His plurality in New York is estimated at 15,000. In Indiana from 4,000 to 6,000, and in Wisconsin 2,000. Harrison's election is generally accepted as a matter of fact.

The following is the latest estimate of the electoral vote:

FOR HARRISON.	FOR CLEVELAND.
California, 8	Alabama, 7
Colorado, 3	Kansas, 3
Illinois, 22	Connecticut, 4
Indiana, 10	Delaware, 3
Iowa, 13	Florida, 4
Kansas, 3	Georgia, 12
Maine, 4	Kentucky, 8
Massachusetts, 14	Louisiana, 10
Michigan, 13	Maryland, 10
Minnesota, 13	Mississippi, 9
Nebraska, 3	Missouri, 12
Nevada, 3	Montana, 3
New Hampshire, 4	North Carolina, 11
New York, 36	South Carolina, 9
Ohio, 23	Tennessee, 13
Oregon, 3	Texas, 12
Pennsylvania, 23	Virginia, 12
Rhode Island, 4	West Virginia, 4
Vermont, 3	
Wisconsin, 11	Total, 168

Total 233

Necessary to a choice, 201.

The Methodist Conference meets in New Bern on November 28th.

A perceptible earthquake shock was felt in Memphis, Tenn., on the 3rd inst.

TRAIN ROBBERY.—The United States messenger on the train on the New Orleans and Northeastern Railroad, was robbed. The express officials decline to state the amount of the robbery, but it is understood the loss is between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 30.—The boiler of the tug Lawrence burst at 2:35 o'clock this morning, off North Point. Captain Sullivan, Engineer Sullivan and Fireman Sullivan, and the lineman, Thomas Handley, who were all near the bursting boiler, were blown to pieces.

POMONA, Cal., Nov. 1.—The National Democratic Committee has telegraphed Postmaster Stein and J. A. Clark, of this place, to offer in the name of the committee a reward of \$1,000 for the name of the author of the Murchison letter and to spend another \$1,000 in detectives and means to apprehend the author, causing the trouble with the English minister.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 30.—Twelve jurors, who on Monday acquitted George H. Edleman of the murder of Thomas Gresham, were burnt in effigy to-night.

Employees of the Western & Atlantic road for which Gresham worked, prepared figures and headed by a brass band, marched to the court house esplanade, where a gallows was erected, and the figures suspended and fired. Ten thousand people were present. Good order prevailed. Edleman has left the city.

—November the 15th has been set apart as North Carolina Day at the great Virginia Exposition now in progress at Richmond. Gov. Scales and staff have been invited and are expected to be in attendance.

—Caswell county voted against subscribing \$100,000 to the Atlantic & Western Railroad, the proposed road from Reidsville to tap the Raleigh & Gaston in the neighborhood of Oxford.

THANKSGIVING.

The President's Proclamation, Appointing Thursday, the 29th Inst. A Proclamation by the President of the United States.

Constant thanksgiving and gratitude are due from the American people to Almighty God for His goodness and mercy, which have followed them since the day He made them a nation and vouchsafed them a free government. With loving kindness He has constantly led us in the way of prosperity and greatness. He has not visited with swift punishment our shortcomings, but with gracious care He has warned us of our dependence upon His forbearance, and has taught us that obedience to His holy law is the price of a continuance of His precious gifts. In acknowledgment of all that God has done for us as a nation, and to the end that on an appointed day the united prayers and praise of a grateful country may reach the throne of grace, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of November, instant, as a day of Thanksgiving and Prayer to be kept throughout the land. On that day let all our people suspend their ordinary work and occupations, and in their accustomed places of worship, with prayer and songs of praise, render thanks to God for all His mercies, for the abundant harvest which have rewarded the toil of the husbandman during the year that has passed, and for the rich rewards that have followed the labors of our people in their shops and marts of trade and traffic. Let us give thanks for peace and social order and contentment within our borders, and for our advancement in all that adds to national greatness. And mindful of the afflictive dispensation with which a portion of our land has been visited, let us, while we humble ourselves before the power of God, acknowledge His mercy in setting bounds to the deadly march of pestilence, and let our hearts be chastened by sympathy with our fellow-countrymen who have suffered and who mourn.

And as we return thanks for all the blessings which we have received from the hands of our Heavenly Father, let us not forget that He has enjoined upon us charity, and on this day of Thanksgiving let us generously remember the poor and needy, so that our tribute of praise and gratitude may be acceptable in the sight of the Lord.

Done at the City of Washington on the first day of November, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and in the year of independence of the United States the one hundred and thirtieth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name, and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

By the President.

T. F. BAYARD, Sec. of State.

Foreign News.

PARIS, Nov. 3.—A terrific explosion occurred in the Campagne coal-pit in the department of Aveyron, France. Eighty miners were killed.

There seems to be an increased feeling between France and Germany.

Hundreds of Chinese have arrived in this country who were not aware of the passage of the exclusion law.

Three hundred houses have been destroyed by fire in Haefeld, Germany.

An accident occurred in Russia to the czar's train, which came near proving fatal to the Imperial family; 20 persons were killed and 18 injured; the czar's car was badly shattered, but he and his family were taken from the debris uninjured.

Wilmington Star Outlines.

George H. Vandergrift, a well known confectioner of Philadelphia, has disappeared with \$150,000 which was entrusted to him by friends for investment. A watch was presented to Mr. Vandergrift the other day, by the women and girls of the Keystone watch case factory of Philadelphia, as a token of their appreciation of the advanced position the wife of the President has taken toward the working women of America; the case of the watch was made by the donors. A man of war will be sent to Hayti to look after American interests there. An iron truss bridge, the largest in Illinois, fell near Blairsville the other day, while some repairs were being made, and about twenty men were killed and injured. Petroleum has been discovered in Rockingham county, Va., which has caused a great stir among the people. During the month of October there was a decrease of four million in the public debt.

The Anarchists Propose to Celebrate the Chicago Executions.

CHICAGO, October 30.—A dispatch from St. Louis says: The anarchists of St. Louis are determined to make the anniversary of the Chicago executions the occasion of a big demonstration. The Apo theatre has been secured and elaborate preparations have been made, which include a play called "Innocent condemned to death." The play has been written by a St. Louis anarchist, and depicts the scenes at McCormick's reaper works, the Haymarket explosion and the trial and condemnation of Spies and his associates. Speeches will precede the play. Invitations have been sent to all labor organizations. The receipts of the night will be given to the families of the anarchists executed one year ago. The attention of the police have already been called to the proposed celebration.

READING, Pa., November 2.—A terrible accident, resulting in the killing of five men and injury to many others, took place on the farm of Jonas Spayd, where a steam thrasher was in operation. The boiler exploded with fearful force, carrying destruction on every hand.

Grand Jury's Report.

The following is a report of the Grand Jury of Forsyth county, Fall Term Superior Court, Oct. 23d: We have been in constant session since our qualification up to the present time. We have acted upon a number of cases, and have made several presentments, and have used our best endeavors to present all known and all reported violations of the law, which we trust will be properly investigated, and the offenders, if guilty, duly punished.

We as a body visited our County Jail and found the prisoners well cared for and everything in good order.

A committee appointed by the Foreman of the Grand Jury visited the County Poor House and made the following report:

That we find it in good condition and very well kept; paupers contented and say they are well treated and provided for. We believe that it is necessary to have a wash house with wood shed erected as there is no place to keep wood dry. We would suggest that a new barn be built, as the old one is nearly ready to fall, and it will not justify to put any more work on it. As it is, there is really not sufficient shelter in any kind of fix to store hay, etc., away to be fit for use.

We found some water standing in the basement of the new building occupied by the insane paupers, where the large heating stove stands, and the window sash so tight that it cannot be moved up or down in wet weather.

P. A. JAMES, } Com.

J. M. WHITMAN, } Com.

J. E. MCKEY, } Com.

We, the Committee appointed by the Foreman of the Grand Jury to examine the Treasurer's books, have found said books, &c., correct.

P. A. JAMES, } Com.

LUTHER HINE, } Com.

J. E. MCKEY, } Com.

The reports of the above committees have been approved by the Grand Jury, all of which is most respectfully submitted.

CHAS. ROTHROCK, Foreman.

Oct. 27, 88.

A Grand Day for Christianity.

We clip the following from the Durham Tobacco Plant of Monday which will no doubt prove interesting to our readers:

Yesterday was bright and beautiful and the gladness of nature struck a responsive chord in the hearts of the people if we are to judge by the religious interest manifested in the community. Large congregations attended all the services of the various churches.

It was a grand day for Christianity. At Trinity Methodist, the attendance upon the Sunday school was the largest in the history. At the morning service, fifty-five persons were baptized, ninety-seven joined the church in person and seven by letter, making one hundred and four additions to the membership at this service. The holy communion was administered to about four hundred persons. At night Rev. Dr. E. A. Yates, preached a comforting sermon upon "Some of the evidences of conversion."

At the First Baptist, thirty-five persons were immersed at the 3 o'clock service and fourteen others were received into the church, making forty-nine additions to the membership.

At the Episcopal church baptism was administered to three persons. The new members will not be formally received until the visit of the Bishop. There are, we understand, thirteen candidates for confirmation.

At Main Street, Methodist, thirty-eight new members were received into the church.

At Blackwell Baptist, six persons were baptized and two others were received, making a total addition of eight members.

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Salem, Saturday, Nov. 10th.

The County Candidates will all be with me, and the public are cordially invited to be present.

JOHN ROYER,

Sheriff of Forsyth County.

Sept. 13-14.

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING taken letters of Administration, according to law, on the estate of Henry E. Meinung, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said estate, to present them to me, duly qualified, on or before the 1st day of October, 1888, otherwise this notice will be void in law of recovery. Persons owing the estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JAMES T. LINEBACK, Adm'r.

Oct. 4-5.

NOTICE.

Valuable Property FOR SALE

IN WAUGHTOWN, N. C.

Having decided to go West, I now offer my property for sale. There are about five acres of fertile land at west end of Waughtown, on south side main road, on which is situated a very neat and costly building of 9 rooms, one good Store House 18x56 feet, good well of water, good barn and smoke house of elegant design, also all other necessary out-houses,—all nearly new and under les' of repair, and one of the most desirable and best arranged houses in Waughtown, and will only have to be seen to be appreciated.

To the merchant I would say that I have now established a good trade in the mercantile business at this place and you can do well selling goods here, and the merchant or manufacturer can find no better location than the above named.

I will also sell my one-half interest in STEAM SAW MILL, now located at Walnut Cove, N. C.

I will, from October 1st, commence selling my entire stock of

GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

Dry Goods and Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Hardware, Groceries, &c.

AT AND BELOW COST.

So, Come early, if you want a bargain in anything above offered.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

Respectfully

JOHN H. SINK,

Waughtown, N. C.

Sept. 25, 1888—14.

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NEXT TO POSTOFFICE.

—All Goods Away Marked Down—

IFINE ASSORTMENT

Spring Wraps.

LARGE JOB LOT

LADIES' BOUCLE JERSEYS.

Big drive in all Silk Ribbons.

2,000 yards Cloth in remnants.

Best line Ladies and Gents Underwear at cost.

Feathers, Hat Ornaments, Ladies Fine Felt Hats, Hat Trimmings, Fine Shoes, newest style, Gossameres, Blankets, Shawls, &c.

Ostrich Tips, 50 cents a bunch.

Wings, 5 cents each.

Birds, 10 cents each.

Ladies Felt Hats 25 cents each.

Mens' Shoes, in 7s and 8s only, at half price.

Men's and Boys' Clothing in great variety.

Men's, and Boys' Hats and Caps.

Musical Instruments.

Best quality of Violin Strings.

600 yards of remnant Cloths, 1 and 2 yard lengths, 25c. p. yard.

1,500 yards remnant Cloths, 2 1/2 to 10 yard lengths, at 33c. p. yard.

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The selection is much better than ever and as they were bought right we are enabled to give you prices below all competition.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED:

- 75 Pieces Prints, 5, 6 and 7 cents.
- 50 " Dress Gingham, 8 and 9c. worth 10 and 12c.
- 50 " Worst Dress Goods, Cashmeres and Herinetas.
- 30 " Jeans and Cassimeres.
- 10 " Flannels.
- 15 " Cotton Flannels.
- 10 " Fine White Dress Goods—all new styles.
- 20 Cases Shoes, all kinds and qualities.
- 30 " Rubber Shoes, for Men, Women and Children.
- 5 " Hats.
- 25 Pieces Bleached Domestics.
- Arista Sheetting and Salem Plaids—best in America.

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of every description. Hosiery, Gloves, Jerseys, Shawls, Handkerchiefs, &c.

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Axes, Cross Cut Saws, Wood Saws, Mattocks, Grindstones, Padlocks, Doorlocks, Glass, Putty, Hinges, Nails, &c.

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IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

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cheaper than you have ever seen them.

We buy our Goods as low as the cash will buy them and then sell them at a very small profit for cash or in exchange for country produce. We cannot afford to give time on such small profits.

We deal in

LOCAL ITEMS.

Our patrons who wish to pay in advance, will please deliver it with this day, as we need it.

Weather very warm, and rainy Thursday.

Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, the 29th inst.

The State Guard is now composed of 20 companies of 1,500 men.

James M. Leach is reported very ill at his home in Lexington.

The Moravian Synod, for the Southern Province meets in Salem on Nov. 20th.

Messrs. Frank Hege and Nat. Peterson returned from their North Carolina trip Saturday.

The regular meeting of the Fair City Hospital Association will be held this evening, the 8th inst.

The Baptist State Convention will assemble in Greensboro on Wednesday, November 14th.

C. W. Worth who has resigned as cashier of the High Point Bank, succeeded by Eugene Armfield.

Mrs. John Burke handed us a mammoth turkey on Wednesday last.

For Coughs, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Soreness of Throat and Lungs, use Dr. Flint's Cough Syrup, for sale by ASHCRAFT & OWENS, Druggists, Winston.

Fifty-three persons have connected themselves with the Central M. E. church, Winston, since the previous meeting.

Messrs. James and John Dalton have been discharged from the Morganton Insane Asylum, as cured, and returned home.

We learn that steps have been taken to ascertain the prospect of erecting a building for the use of the Young Men's Christian Association.

It looks like work on the Mocksville Railroad is about to be commenced in earnest. Mules, carts, tools and general supplies have arrived.

Samuel A. Hege and lady have our thanks for a mess of squirrel, tagged by Mr. Hege in one of his evening hunts about the woods near town. They were good.

We are informed that Rev. J. T. Bagwell, a former Winston pastor, has joined the Northern Methodist Conference and will be appointed to work in that church somewhere out West.—Salem.

The young ladies of Salem Female Academy and a number of invited guests, were entertained with a very interesting lecture on Saturday evening last, on Elementary Chemistry by Prof. L. B. Wuerresche. The experiments were all well and successfully given, and elicited much commendatory remarks. These lectures are a part of the progressive educational advantages given by our grand old institution.

Use Williams' Ink, guaranteed to be equal to the best. Three colors—Garnet, Violet and Black—as at the following prices: School size, five cents; half pint, ten cents; and quarts, 25 cents. ASHCRAFT & OWENS, Druggists, Winston, N. C.

The following young ladies compose the graduating class of Salem Female Academy of '89:

Miss Louie Bridges, Julia Dunlap, Marguerite DeFour, Lida and Katie Fain, Mary and Bert Fitzpatrick, Mary Fries, Minnie Farn, Julia Flake, Birdie Goslen, Emily Hardhouse, Bert Lindberg, Julia Meacham, Mary Pihl, Daisy Ruff, Eda Shaffner, Carrie Stockton, Hattie Swann, Annie Swann, Janie Swann, Annie Staples, Lida Wells, Besie Winkler, Julia Whitner and Carrie Shelton.—Academy.

Covetous CAMP.—On Sunday last, Rev. J. F. McCuiston accompanied by H. E. Fries and lady, visited the covetous camp, at Mr. Fries' plantation, on the Mocksville division of the Midland Railroad. The covetous number over 100, and are comfortably lodged in a large tent, the sleeping bunks running through the center of it. Several times, Rev. Mr. McCuiston preached, and had a very attentive audience. They sing well and seem familiar with the gospel hymns.

Death of Willis E. Hall, Sr. Died at the residence of Maj. T. J. Brown, Winston, on Wednesday morning, 31st ult., Mr. Willis E. Hall, Sen. Mr. Hall had been an invalid for some months and had just returned from a visit to relatives in Alexandria, Va., where he had vainly sought to improve his health. He appeared cheerful all along the route home, only to be prostrated and unconscious just before he reached Winston, where he breathed his last a few minutes after his arrival. Mr. Hall was a scholar, and an amiable gentleman, of good conversational powers, and of a social and popular turn. He was a resident here for a number of years and made many friends. He was engaged in the manufacture of tobacco of the firm of Taylor Bros. & Co., and was in his 47th year. A large number of friends sympathize with the bereaved family.

Why do you cough when a two-cent bottle of Dr. Fries' Cough Syrup will relieve you? For sale by Dr. SHAFNER, Druggist, Salem, N. C.

All persons are forbidden to hunt with gun, dog, net, or to trap any game on the lands of the undersigned under penalty of law.

These lands, north of the lands of David South, north of the lands of Reuben Wilson, John Hege, Pinck, Snider, Mrs. Lettie Charles and others situated near New Friendship church, in this county.

CORRESPONDENCE.

KERNERSVILLE LETTER.

Messrs. Editors.—On Friday, Oct. 19th, I left my home in Kernersville to visit the Moravian Mission Church at Mount Bethel, Patrick county, Va.

Just after passing Bittling's on the mountain road, at a place to be known hereafter as Rural Hall, there came the train puffing and blowing from Kernersville, bound for Mt. Airy. A few miles further in came to the head waters of Muddy Creek, the only stream between Kernersville and the Little Yadkin, at Dalton's. It was near sundown and I had intended going some five miles further before stopping for the night, but my horse, old Jim, looked so wistfully down the bottom towards Mr. Edwin Hulsebeck's barn, as much as to say, "there is a good place down there, I have been there before." I looked up towards the house with the same feeling, and I proposed to leave it to him, and he was not slow in taking the direction, and we were kindly received and hospitably entertained by Mr. Hulsebeck and his good lady. He is a brother of Rev. Solomon Hulsebeck, and on leaving next morning gave me lunch enough for three men.

At Dalton's there is a marked change, a number of residences in process of building. I found a substantial bridge on the Little Yadkin about twenty yards above the ford.

In the year 1828, I went up the road the first time in company with Thomas Christman, the man that built the first house in Liberty, now incorporated in Winston; and then there were bridges over both the Little Yadkin and the Arrarat on this side of Mt. Airy.

The next station above Dalton's is Cullers. Mr. Culler is a Missionary Baptist, and he built a neat church near his house on Childers' Mountain, and its spire can be seen for 6 miles. At the station are several stores and a steam saw mill 6 miles further up we come to what was Union town, now Pilot Mountain.

There are 4 or 5 stores, Tobacco Factory, Masonic Hall, a large warehouse, a doctor's office, a number of new dwelling houses, two Pilot Mountain hotels, and a newspaper, the "Pilot Mountain News," and the copy I saw was ably edited and well printed. The time was when the "Salem Press" furnished the news for this western country, now there are papers in Dobson, Walnut Cove, Germantown, Kernersville, Pilot Mountain, and 4 or 5 papers in Winston. If newspapers are the education of the people, we certainly are making strides in that direction. Here, at Pilot Mountain, the railroad leaves the public road and see it no more till you get to Mt. Airy. And right here I want to ask you a question, as it is supposed editors should know everything: By what right do these railroads monopolize and appropriate the public highways; and where they pretend to operate a way, they leave in such a condition to be almost impassable, and to the danger of life and limb. Now I want to know if their own road and leave the public highway intact; and another thing, it is not the business of the County Commissioners to interfere with it, and the County Commissioners, the Grand Jury. For more than forty years I have travelled between here and Mt. Airy and have never seen the road as bad as it is now.

At Mt. Airy there have been considerable changes, and new buildings have come up in all directions. The old "Blue Ridge Hotel" has been taken down and a palatial structure is going up in its room. It is a regular city concern and covers a whole block; the lower part, with the exception of the office, is divided into store rooms, and the second and third stories are for the guests. Mr. Roberts, the proprietor of the Springs, owns it. He is expecting a great many visitors next summer and he intends there shall be no lack for accommodations. Besides there are two other good hotels in the place.

On Saturday evening after night, I landed at the Mission Parsonage, and found Rev. R. P. Leinback, from Bethania, and Mr. Lassiter there, having reached here an hour or two sooner. Thanks to some good Moravian Sisters in Salem, the mission is furnished with some excellent food, which to an old man, after having been jostled over sixty miles of rough roads, became more than a luxury. After spending several days here keeping meetings, we left on Wednesday morning for home and came as far as Mr. Cullers, where we staid over night, and it certainly is a good place in the way of eating and beds, and the charge to us—well it was next to nothing, and we left feeling under many obligations to the kind host and hostess. The last day of our trip Thursday, there was a cold rain.

Before I close I must say something of the activity which seems to be manifesting itself. Along the line of this railroad I counted a number of saw-mills, and met several trains with lumber for Greensboro; and I could not help feeling sorry for the grand old pines that have been the glory of this country, they are bound to fall. So too, I saw stacks on stacks of hickory timber prepared and ready for transportation to be worked up into handles.

I too met a train loaded with granite from a quarry near Mt. Airy and going for Greensboro. And all along there was evidence of a new life awakened within the last twelve months. That there was something more drew my attention in a different direction—the fact that hauling with wagons has well ceased along this road. Here, before this time in the year it was troublesome to get along, especially where the road was narrow, on account of the wagons you would meet. This time, going up, I did not meet a single one, and coming down only two. Selling grain used to doer to wagons is about done with and "Uncle Edwin" has laid his whip by to rest.

I landed home from Mt. Bethel with the expectation of going to the home coming of my young

friend, Rev. John McCuiston, who married the evening before Miss Laura Masten, to which my wife and I had an invitation. But the day was too bad for old folks to venture out, and we had to forego it, but I learn they had a good time and may long life and happiness be theirs.

C. L. R. Kernersville, N. C., Nov. 5th, 1888.

Women's Christian Temperance Union Convention.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of North Carolina, met in its 6th annual session in Brown's Opera House, Winston, on the 1st inst.

The Convention was opened with devotional exercises, conducted by Mrs. F. M. Bampass, President of the Greensboro Union.

The usual preliminary work in appointing Committees and verifying credentials was promptly done.

Mrs. Woody, the President of the State organization read an address. In the evening Mrs. P. J. Ector delivered the address of welcome and was responded to by Miss Anna Astor.

Numerous papers were read, many of them of more than usual merit. The religious exercises were a prominent feature of the meetings.

Our people enjoyed the exercises and were favorably impressed by them.

The Daily has a brief description of the oratorical contest as follows: A large audience assembled in Brown's Opera House, to hear the oratorical contest for the Temperance medal. The following programme was observed:

Hymn: "Joy to the World."

Recitation: "The Saloon Ever a Political Factor," Miss Myrtle Freeman, Archdale, N. C.

Recitation: "Ragabab or Christ, Which?" Miss Nore M. Johnson, Summerfield, N. C.

Music: "Dare to be a Daniel."

Recitation: "Patriotic Prohibition," Mr. L. Clark Payne, Trinity College, N. C.

Recitation: "Liberty and Prohibition," Miss Ella Lee, New Garden, N. C.

Music: "Marching Along."

Recitation: "Can a Man's Blood Cry?" Miss Johnnie Gillespie, Greensboro, N. C.

Recitation: "The Liquor Traffic in Politics," Miss Minnie McDevitt, Summerfield, N. C.

Music: "Dare to be a Daniel."

Recitation: "The Voice of the Dram Shop," Miss Lucella Nelson, Millboro, N. C.

Music: "Unfold the Temperance Banner."

Miss Johnnie Gillespie, Greensboro, (No. 5) won the medal which was presented by Mrs. Wells. The medal is an elegant one, of large and elegant design. Mrs. Wells, in reviewing the marking of the judges, found that inadvertently the second honors had gone to the wrong one, and it was announced that the medal should be given to Miss Minnie McDevitt, of Summerfield, was but little behind the winner and was second best.

Mr. Baity, on behalf of the "Bee Hive" firm, proprietors and clerks, presented beautiful gold medals, to bear the inscription of a bee hive and the words "veritas vincit," to each of the seven contestants.

All the old officers were re-elected, as follows: President—Mrs. Mary C. Woody; Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. E. D. Humbley; Recording Secretary—Mary E. Gendall; Treasurer—Mrs. C. C. Gorrell.

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MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, Oct. 22nd, by the Rev. W. O. Prentiss, George D. Shore, of Salem, N. C., to Miss Charlotte Cordes, eldest daughter of Dr. S. D. Doar, of McClellanville, S. C.

At Tokay, N. C., Col. Wharton J. Green to Mrs. Davis, widow of the late Judge David Davis, once acting Vice President of the United States.

In Winston, on Tuesday, 6th inst., M. D. Stockton to Miss Mattie Vaughn.

Suddenly, in Winston, on the night of the 3rd inst., J. W. Duggins, in the 33rd year of his age.

In Waughtown, Oct. 31st, Elsie Perkins Dalton, aged 55 years, 5 months and 21 days.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of a Mortgage Deed executed by S. Crowder and wife, and recorded in Book 3 in Recorder's office of Forsyth county, Va. on the 10th day of December, 1887, I will sell the lands of said S. Crowder, to wit:

1st DAY OF DECEMBER, 1888, at the Court-House door in Winston, the House and Lot in Waughtown, now occupied by said S. Crowder.

Salem, N. C., Nov. 1, 1888.

TAX NOTICE.

The Corporation Tax Books are now made up. Persons liable for Taxes will please call on me and pay their Taxes without delay. The levy is 40 cents on the \$100, \$1.20 on the \$100, and \$2.00 on the \$100.

L. N. CLINARD, Collector. Salem, N. C., Oct. 10, 1888.

NORTH CAROLINA.

In the Superior Court of Forsyth County, Va. James T. Lineback, Administrator of the estate of John Grabbs, col., deceased, Plaintiff, against

Grabbs.—Grabbs, the widow and heirs at law of said deceased, defendants.

The purpose of the above named action is to sell the lands of said deceased to pay his debts.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendants (whose christian names are unknown in the above entitled action, are not residents of this State, they are hereby notified and required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Forsyth County, at the Court-House in Winston, on the 9th day of November, 1888, then and there to answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or judgment will be rendered against them in accordance with the relief demanded in said complaint.

Witness, C. S. HAUSER, Clerk of said Court, at office, in Winston, N. C., September 28th, 1888.

Sept. 28, 1888-66.

LAND SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A MORTGAGE DEED to me executed by W. D. Stewart and wife, recorded in Book 29, page 509, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Forsyth County, on Saturday the 8th day of December, 1887, at the Court-House door in Winston, at 1 o'clock P. M., I will sell at public auction, for Cash, a tract of land adjoining Timothy Boone and others, containing 51 Acres.

JACOB YOKLEY, Mortgagee. Oct. 22, 1888. Ads.

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POLITICAL Bee Hive. 1888.

The political campaign of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight will go into history as one of the hardest fought in our nation. Almost all political methods imaginable are brought to bear upon the voters in order to induce them to vote solidly for the nominees of their respective parties. By some people—party leaders especially—it is considered to be an almost unparagonable and unpatriotic act to cast one's ballot different to what their ancestral training had been or their former political ties, no matter how sincere they are nor what patriotic motives prompt them. But, nevertheless, it is a fact undeniable that men who act independently of political parties and are governed by a desire only for our country's good, are the conservators of our nation's welfare. In our State and Nation we have three leading political parties that are asking our suffrages—Democratic, Republican and Prohibition. Each has its platform of principles, and each is entitled to the honest consideration of all voters. The Democratic party is fighting along the line of tariff reduction, and claims that a higher tariff than it takes to meet the expenses of the government economically administered is dangerous and unjust. The Republican party claims to be for a revision and reduction of the tariff, keeping in view the protection of the American manufacturer. The Prohibition party claims that the tariff should be so reduced that no surplus shall be accumulated in the treasury, and the burdens of taxation should be removed from food, clothing and other comforts and necessities of life, and imposed on such articles as will give protection to the manufacturing employer and producing laborer against the competition of the world, but they declare that the paramount issue in politics, which causes the annual waste of seven hundred million dollars, three-fourths of all the crime and pauperism, and consequently a very large per cent. of the burden of taxation is the liquor traffic, hence they declare for the prohibition of the manufacture, importation, exportation, transportation and sale of alcoholic beverages. It is for one of these three parties that we as voters of our County and State must cast our ballots. It takes sober reflection to be able to cast an intelligent ballot. This we cannot do if we are in any way influenced by appeals to passions, prejudice or fear. The ballot is a sacred gift. It is intended to be the expression of a man's principle, and when cast other than according to reason, unprejudiced and unbiased, is a false ballot. Every man is secretly responsible for his ballot, and the man who violates his conscience and honor for the sake of saving any political party is no better than the man who sells his vote, and both should be disfranchised in order to conduce to our nation's honor.

Back behind a party and its candidates are its principles, and it is for these that our votes are cast and must be counted, and it does not modify our responsibility because we cast it in the interest of any political party, no matter how we love it, nor how hard we have helped to fight its battles, unless platform and actions conform to our ideas of what would be best for the greatest number of people and our nation's welfare. If there is an act in any man's life where conscience should be heard it is in casting his ballot. It is a burning shame that men are to be found who will stifle their conscience, and be led by political demagogues to cast their ballots for the party contrary to what their reason tells them is right. And now we have this to say, and especially to the young man casting his first ballot, no matter what has been the political creed of your ancestors. Remember that a state and nation is made by the freemen who compose it, and whatever strikes at the manhood of a nation strikes at its life. We remember that a vote for principle is never thrown away though you may not elect a single man you may vote for. A ballot other than for principle is thrown away though you elect all your candidates for a century. Out upon such ethics as are advanced by some political demagogues that a vote is thrown away unless it goes for a candidate that is elected; such doctrine is dangerous to our country's good, and beneath the notice of any patriot. So, by a slight change of the words of a distinguished N. C. Senator, our advice is, "Say your prayers, mind your wives and mothers," buy your goods at the BEE-HIVE CASH STORE, and vote according to the dictates of conscience and true patriotism, and you will never need cause to fear the result, no matter whose party is hurt.

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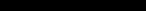
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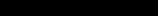
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